

Matt Doyle made a Deming trip Saturday.

Thomas Foster is now located at Gold Hill.

Thos. Woods made a trip to Carlsbad this week.

John M. Classen has moved to Martinez, California.

Regular meeting of the fire department this evening.

R. P. Hart made a flying Silver City trip this week.

The Eagle drug store had a big Castoria trade this week.

Judge Louis Marshall was up from Hachita Wednesday.

Col. Martin of Silver City was in the city the first of the week.

The church people are trying to raise the money for a church bell.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Nichol were in the city Monday en route to Silver City.

The trial of Cunningham and Wilfred Webb for the Wham robbery is set for the 11th in Tucson.

The Bulletin says that the sixth crop of alfalfa has been cut from a piece of land near Solomonville.

The church people have organized a full grown choir. It is not recorded that they have as yet instituted a choir quarrel.

Mrs. Maggie Petherly and Miss Zena and Mrs. Nora Ownby and Master Bramble left Sunday night to visit friends in San Francisco.

Frank M. Blaney, who used to run an engine on the narrow gauge road, has been shaking hands with his many Lordsburg friends this week.

John Johnson has returned from Silver City, with his family. He reports the town as being very dead, but that his family is one larger than when he moved there.

A grand masquerade ball is advertised for Wednesday November 13th. From present appearances the indications are that this ball will open the season with great eclat.

Harry More of the Cabinet saloon at Deming is under bonds to appear at the next term of the district court to answer to the charge of having a female pianist in his saloon.

Col. Chas. A. Drake the newly appointed receiver of the Tucson land office, was in the city Tuesday on his last business trip for the Safety-Nitro powder company, which he has represented for several years.

One of the Lordsburg saloon keepers has evolved a new scheme to beat "David P. Carr's woman in the saloon law." He backed the piano around to the window and hired the woman to stand out doors, reach through the window and thump the ivories.

A horse herder named White, who was known as Comanche, who was working for the San Simon cattle company in the Skeleton cañon, was found there last Monday, dead. He had been shot in the back and one ear and his nose were cut off. He had been dead for several days.

In another column will be found the interesting advertisement of the Dunsmuir house at Silver City. The house has always been one of the most popular in the territory and was never more so than now. Louis Timmer as proprietor and Fred O. Wright as clerk make a great team.

The St. Louis gentleman who were here a few weeks ago taking testimony in the Bonnie Jean case came near being killed while going home. The train they were on met with an accident in Kansas and several persons were killed and more wounded, but luckily they escaped without injury.

As was noted in the LIBERAL a few weeks ago the Pearson & Curran cows were advertised for sale last Monday at Carlsbad on a mortgage held by J. S. Brooks. Brooks had a mortgage which amounted with interest to \$2,400, on the cows, and the first national bank of El Paso had a mortgage of \$7,000 on the balance of the herd. Saturday Brooks was in town and said that the day before he had over a hundred of the cows gathered and a boy was holding them, while he and the rest of his men were gathering the remainder, when Pearson, John Eply, Wm. Pass and a man named Minter, who represented the bank, all heavily armed, rode up, intimidated the boy and scattered the cows. Brooks was on his way to Silver City to consult his lawyers, Messrs. Conway, Posey & Hawkins.

The LIBERAL is a firm believer in the efficacy of advertising but also believes that the advertiser should be honest in his statements. In the last Enterprise was a "Big Card" for Robert Roycraft, the proprietor of the Tremont house. It consisted of a card purporting to be signed by a hundred or so traveling men telling Roycraft that notwithstanding there had been a reduction in price of board at the Tremont house the signers would continue loyal to the Tremont. Among the alleged signers were C. C. Hall. The genial "Lum" was in town this week, and on being asked about running for a hotel indignantly denied all knowledge of the affair. On being shown the advertisement he declared his signature a forgery, and on looking the list of signers over expressed it as his opinion that every name on it was a forgery.

CLIFTON OULLINGS.

The writer is informed that there is quite a batch of sealed proposals received at the Bureau of Land and Survey and that considerable money is now being kept in the spirit of a diligent seeker of news the writer was enabled to "catch on," that is to say, it was remarked and was remarkable how few in this community announced that they would not make any such proposal. Sabe?

Arthur Wright left Monday morning for Tombstone.

Joe Leahy of your town came in on Saturday's train and left on the 23rd. By the way, your correspondent saw him holding down a front seat at church last Sunday evening.

Alex. Torrance, who has so effectively attended to the wants of customers at the Longfellow store has been let out by the present management of the Arizona copper company. He had been sick and granted a lay off to recuperate; and under physician's advice remained over the time allowed him. For this and only this he was bounced.

When you hear the courts of the land sneered at you may calculate that there is something rotten about the engineer who manipulates the machinery.

On the second page will be found the large display advertisement of the Grand Hotel, which opens its doors to the public to-day, November 1st. It was the privilege of the writer to look the new establishment over and he can truthfully say that the Messrs. Baker have one of the finest hotels in this section of Arizona. May they have the prosperity they so fully deserve.

Fred Weidenbeck, of the American restaurant, has a card in another column. Fred sets a good table.

The Copper King company has a force of eight men grading ground on which to place the smelting plant as soon as it arrives. It is at the road now.

Our old time friend Richard Spedden, and his not less valued wife arrived on Friday evening's train. The train arrivals also included Jake Abraham and several other drummers; but Jake and Mrs. Spedden are both as welcome back to Clifton as flowers in April.

THE MYSTERIOUS SEVEN

The original "Adams," who lost a bonanza years ago, came into town Tuesday with a party and from what can be learned the lost Adams diggings will soon be nationalized in this vicinity. Nothing can be learned except that they are the parties who are denominated as the "mysterious seven" by the Tucson Citizen recently, and of whom nothing could be learned when they were equipping themselves at Tucson by the reports of the dailies of that city. In my next I will send you some news about the outfit.

"THE KIDNAP OF THE HILLS."

"The kidnap of the hills" it seems has not enough to attend to. It would be a good thing for whomever it may concern to Scotland to put him at something he is competent to do and make him leave other persons' and other employees' affairs alone. The writer understands that he also sells himself up as a moral prop. A moral prop is something else to have in a community, particularly if the prop is moral. Now the "kidnap" among other things should keep ever present in his mind's eye the old saw about throwing stones when he has lived in a glass house. Some people, he should always remember, are fools and are aware of it, but of all the fools he is the most abominable who is wise in his own conceit. I quote from the Clarion:

"If you want to work here * * * beer."

MARRIED.

John Shennan and Miss Alice James were united in the holy bonds of matrimony at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. John G. Hopkins last Monday morning by the Rev. Hugh J. Furzeaux. The high contracting parties passed through the ordeal without embarrassment. They were sustained by Dr. and Mrs. Lacy. After the ceremony had been performed Mrs. A. B. Ferris played the wedding march. Then the newly married couple, accompanied by a few friends and relatives sat down to a repast appetizing in quality and elegant in view; and to use the expressive expression of a lady who was present everything went off "jolly." The presents were very fine, consisting principally of silver. The following named ladies and gentlemen witnessed the ceremony: Mrs. J. C. Sholer, Dr. and Mrs. Lacy, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Ferris, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Hopkins, Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Heggie, Mrs. Kate Maxson, Mr. Geo. Green and Mr. J. D. A. Smith. A special train conveyed the happy couple away. Wm. Polk was at the throttle and had his engine decorated with bunting, while the preacher, who also took the special train, wore, among other things, a smile which indicated he had recently pocketed an "L" or maybe a "U." When Mr. and Mrs. Shennan were leaving to board the train a perfect shower of old shoes, rice, etc., was discharged at them, in keeping with the time honored custom of wishing a happy voyage over the matrimonial sea. They have gone to California for a brief period, business matters necessitating Mr. Shennan's return in about ten days. Your correspondent acknowledges the receipt of a piece of the wedding cake. Mr. Shennan is the president and superintendent of the Arizona & New Mexico railway and general manager of the Arizona copper company, and his wife is a young lady of great promise. May

their journey through life be over a smooth, untroubled sea, unnumbered with care.

FIREFIGHTERS' BALL.

The Liberator acknowledges the receipt of an invitation reading:

B. L. F. B. R. R. B.

The pleasure of your company is requested at a

Grand Union Ball

under the auspices of

The Brotherhood of Railroad Firemen and Firemen.

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Grand March at 8:30 p. m., sharp.

We understand that the ball will be largely attended from all points on the road between El Paso and Los Angeles.

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A couple of comas recently struck town dead broke. They were not used to begging and could not get a job. They rented the opera house, advertised a prize fight for blood, bare knuckles, fight to the finish, etc., a la Peter Jackson. A small but enthusiastic crowd assembled but there was not money enough in the house to pay for sticking plaster, so a collection was taken up. The money was hung up before them and they went at it. The scrap was not bloody, but was comical. Each was very careful not to hurt the other, and the ugly blows they would strike when out of reach were laughable. Their earnest endeavors to make a stake so placed a prominent stockman that the next morning he hit them and they are now engaged in herding horses in the Barro mountains.

Geo. Woods writes from the Mogollons that the hunting party, headed by Capt. Amos Horner, which left Lordsburg two weeks ago, passed his ranch. George says that his hired man was standing to the forward of the procession as it passed and ever since has been suffering from a severe attack of dipomania.

The Red Cross Syrup, made by Charles Wright & Co., is especially adapted for deep seated colds, where there is pain in the chest, and tendency to pneumonia or pleurisy. It will stop a cold immediately. Sold at Eagle Drug Store.

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The other night a Lordsburg merchant was engaged at his desk in the back part of the store. When it came knocking upon his deputy, saying he was still honest suggested that he should not forget to lock the back door, and started for the prize fight. After the fight he got into a whisky game and then was inveigled into a game of hearts. About eleven o'clock a friend came in and suggested that he had better go lock the store up as it was all alone. He went. The store was wide open, the lights burning and the safe unlocked. The merchant, in a fit of absent-mindedness, had gone home and left every thing wide open. It speaks worlds for the honesty of the people of Lordsburg to know that although the store was left alone for nearly two hours that not a thing was stolen.

It has long been maintained that one of the best places for a boy to get an education was in a printing office. This fact was demonstrated at the school house last Friday. John Malone has been working around the LIBERAL office for several months and last Friday he spelled the entire school down.

Change is one of the irresistible laws of nature, and fortunately the change is almost invariably for the better. As an instance of this, St. Patrick's pills are fast taking the place of the old harsh and violent cathartics, because they are milder and produce a pleasanter effect, besides they are much more beneficial in removing morbid matter from the system and preventing ague and other malarious diseases. As a cathartic and liver pill they are almost perfect. For sale at the Eagle drug store.

Have you ranches to sell? property to rent? mining property to bond, lease or sell? then advertise the same in the WESTERN LIBERAL.

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NOTICE OF CONTENT.

UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE, LAS CRUCES, NEW MEXICO, Sept. 15, 1899.

Complaint having been entered at this office by C. F. Hill against James Curran for obtaining his Homestead entry No. 822, dated April 2nd, 1888, upon the N. 1/2, S. 1/2, E. 1/2, Sec. 10, T. 18 N., R. 12 E., in Grant county, New Mexico, with a view to the cancellation of said entry; the said parties are hereby summoned to appear at the office of A. H. Morehead, at Silver City, New Mexico, on the 10th day of November, 1899, at ten o'clock a. m., to respond and furnish testimony concerning said alleged abandonment.

EDMUND G. SHEPHERD, Register.

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